LOCAL NEWS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17.

For this section rain or snow, winds shifting to orthwesterly, colder to-night, fair Thursday

A FIRRCE STORM OF WIND AND RAINoring the early part of last night the northeast, freshened considerably, and rain began failing. By midnight a vertible impact had set in and the roar of the wind not the binding sneets of rain which were dried with force against window paper, indered the nervous anything else than indictable. Trees bent to the gale and reguled to keep their roots under ground, must he wind how led through their denuded os, and the electric lights swayed to and casting a welrd, goastly glare upon the e. The sound of jugling glass, the fall outers and the roat of the heavy flaws

Danville Reliroad at Lesburg, died there on Monday after a long illness. Mrs. English, the skill be and for none of his english the skill be and during the violent flaws it was allow impossible for pedestrians to make the mineral skills and the skill be and the skills was a daughter of the late Betjamin R. Cockerille, of Camden, S. C. She had lived in Leeburg since the war, and was most and w and to behold; limbs of trees were scattered bigbly seteemed. Mr. English is a native radoust, as were also bricks from chimneys of this city where he has many friends who gies from roofs, while in many cases sympathize with him in his bereavement. ruofs, too, had been carried away, lifted considerably loosened. Fencing, as is as during the prevalence of heavy gales, re prostrated. Around the wharves the

pile the bleek wind whistled fiercely rugh their rigging and the rain at mercilessly upon their decks he river, surging and heaving, presented lginas tented hereabouts. The waves occurring in Alexandria. when they struck the buikhead of a dock a past seven o'clock, and the bill was read wagonways. Business on the Strand as almot suspended, and what litvermen, who were busy getting out addiduth hill which was erected during | uary 4th next.

the Hancock and English campaign, in 1880, as broken of at the ground and made to mea borzoatal position. The root of and one dwelling of Mrs. R. W. eat, on Prince stree, was blown off, as has of the building at the lumber d of Mr. J. H. D. Smoot, on Union street. se roof of the latter was lifted completely carrying with it sheathing and rafters, most of the debrie was piled upon Mr. Kirk's store adjourning crushing the one' tannery and at the various brick were carried away, and fencing pros-The scaffolding around the houses

erected by Dr. Kilpstein on Fayette damaged. The walls of the latter were also undermined by the heavy rainfall A ware-n use belonging to Mr. W. F. Brookes, on south Union street, was also considerably denigned. Throughout the city more or less destruction is reported in the shape of dam ge to chimneys and fencing. The wind and caves in the river caused much damage. The boat J. H. D. Smoot was sunk at Laun's wharf and went to pieces; the schoon Sarah Aon, at Z mmerman's wharf, wa the schooner Saratoga at the ship rd was also sunk. Numbers of small boats ship yard and along the other wharves a drift and some of them we'e locations. some of the wharves were also ly damaged. The Norfolk steamer Leary fortunately was in the river the gate broke out in its terrible fury, and arrived here only a little behind time. The seamer J. W. Thompson, which left here last night for the lower river, returned about 12 o'clock to-day without having made her landings. The Washington ferry boats made their first trips this morning and then laid up in their slips till 1:30 this evening, the high wind and rains prevent tog them from making their other trips. N news has been received from below, but it is believed that much damage has been done on the lower river and on the bay. The high wind and rain continued till after twelve o'clock to-day, when the gale moderated and the sun came out. The indicetions are that clearing, northwesterly winds

LEST AND FOUND .- During the storm this morning a lady got off the stanmer George Leary from Nufolk and went to the ferry wharf, where she waited for a vehicle to take her up strest. Soon one came, and while walking from the ferry house to the carriage her pocketbook was blown out of her pocket. She soon discovered her loss. and several gentlemen assisted her in a search for it, but to no avail. When the ve hicle returned to the wharf, after taking the lady up the street, a gentleman who had no-ticed the colored driver hastily leave his seat before the lady had made known her loss, questioned him concerning bls action, when the man admitted that he had gotten off the vehicle to pick up the pocketbook and thereupon produced the same. The pockathook contained upwards of \$40 and some keys and was returned to its owner The driver made no explanation of his con

and colder weather will follow to-night.

RAILROAD MEETINGS —The regular au-nual meeting of the Virginia Midland Railway and the Wasnington and Ohio Railroad was held to-day at the company's office, on Prince street, in this city. The cld officers and directors of both roads were reelected In the meeting of the Virginia Midland stockholders a resolution was adopted looking to the consummation of an agreement between the Chesapeake and Ohio and the Richmond and Danville, by which the Ches-Virginia Midland tracks between Gordone ville and Alexandria, Mr. J. W. Burke acted as chalrman of the meetings, and Mr. W. H. Marbury as secretary. Gen. Thos. M. Logan is the president of the Midiand. and Mr. J H Iaman of the W. & O. read

SUNK -The steamer O coquan, while on her way down the river last night, just below Occequan ran upon a log and cut a hole

in her bottom. She soon filled and sunk. She was laden with film.

The steamer Allon while coming up lest night was cut through by the ice and had to be beached.

Police Report.-Lest night was dark and rains, with one lodger but no prisoners at the station house. The only case before the Mayor this morning was that of Frank

To Milburn.

POTTED MEATS, LUNCH OX TONGUE and BEEF for tale by Green, colored, coarged with disorderly conduct. He was discharged for want of

A BOLD THIEF -Yesterday evening a man giving h's name as H. H. Hicks called at he residence of Mr. Geo. McBurney, on such Washington street, and rated Mrs. Mrs. for her husband's gun saying he had her sant for it. He told a gary straight been sent for it. He told a very straight story and, when questioned by Mrs. McB., said her husband had told him to come to the house, get the gun and repair it. He said her husband had told him to come to the house, get the gun and repair it. He went into the dining room, took the gun to pieces, and after explaining what repaire were needed went off carrying the gun with the went into the dining room, took the gun to pieces, and after explaining what repaire were needed went off carrying the gun with the went into the dining room, took the gun to year a start and House respecting the measures known in the latter body as the 'Atkinson bill," and which designated the streets, &c., over which railroads shall run in Washington, were easily settled in conference yeartenance. past bad set in and the roar of the wind him. When Mr. McBurney came home him blinding sheets of rain which were later be was told of the occurrence and at once said that his gun had been stolen. He then came down the street and on going inthen came down the street and on going into Mr. Geo. Ayres' store, on King street, sew Mr. A. with his gun cleaning it. Mr. McBurney told how the gun had been stolen, and then Mr. Ayers informed him that the man had come into his store, and after telting him as equally plausible story as he had teld Mrs. McB., sold him the gun

ove seep from nearly al eyes, and in-for \$20 Mr. A., seeing that he had been swindled, geve up the gun at once. The swindled, gave up the gun at once. The police were northed of the occurrence and a would soon cease. But it did not and upon the break of day was as as ever; the clouds were still chasing DEATH OF MES. C. W. ENGLISH — Mrs. catharine A. English, wife of Mr. Charles and the scene was equally as wild as Catharine A. English, wife of Mr. Charles will be seen to fithe Richmond and the second of the second of the Richmond and the second of the second of

POTOMAC TENT of R chabites will meet for degree work at Good Templars' hall to-night. After the conferring of degrees the red most, and there was hardly a quare night. After the conferring of degrees the high beards had not been blown off, Tent will hold a public meeting. The committee in charge have arranged an attract prostrated. Around the wharves the was wild and cheerless. All the occasion. The speakers will be Dr. E. W. sail and steam, had been docked, but Kirby Col. James C. Lee, High Chief Ruler, igh sea tossed one against the other, John R Mahoney, High Secretary, and sevand caused them to careen nearly as much eral other prominent temperance speakers had they been anchored in mid-ocean, from Washington.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN .- A special mee!ing of the Board of Aldermen was held last night for the purpose of concurring in the action of the Common Council in passing ismal, wierd scene, audits surface was al-action of the Common Council in passing the free from vessels as it was when the the ordinance to keep a record of the deaths

het of water would ascend eeveral feet three times and passed by a unanimous vote, have the level of the street and fall into after which the Aldermen adjourned.

THE CANNON-BALL TRAIN.-It will be remembered that a train of Pullman cars was to have been put on the Midlard road and loves and in other ways making their in Ostober last to be known as the "Cannon f more secure, and among the merchants ball Train," but the idea was abandoned be-Phough considerable damage was tract to deliver the care and equipments in to belidings, no accident, so far as time. The cars have now been built and the train will be put on the road on Jan-

DRY GOODS.

Beg to announce to their friends and patrons that they have fitted up the sixth floor of their 10th street building (reached by two Constipation, Less of Appetite, Dizzines, and all elevators (as a Care. The bill of tie. For sale by F. S. Leadbeator & Bro., agents, fare, a la carte, is strictly first class White waitresses in attendance.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17, 1890

Stores open Evenings until Christmas.

With the intention of aiding our HART, IND. customers in making their Holiday purchases, we publish to-day a list of goods suitable for gifts, with their

Following is the location of departments most sought just now: Silverware, first floor.

Foot of main stairway. Plush Cases, First floor

Conter, Tenth at building.

Metal Novelties,
First floor, center, 10th st. building.

Christmas Cards and Booklets,
Fist floor, center, Tenth st. building.

Books of all kinds,
Third floor, Tenth st. building.

Framed Etchings and Engravings,
Third floor, second annex.
Apron Bazzar,
Second floor, Tenth street building.
Polls, Yoys, and Games,
Fourth floor, Tenth st. building.
Clocks, Brices-Brac and Lamps,
Fourth floor, Tenth st. building. Fourth floor, Tenth st. building.

Large Toys,
Fifth floor, Touth st. building,
Japanese Goods,
Third floor, first annex.
Handkerchiots, first floor,
Right of Eleventh entrance.
Jewelry, first floor, near main entrance.
Leather Goods and Fana first floor I cather Goods and Fans, first flor, 11th st. side. Art Needlework, Second flor, first and second annexes. Men's Furnishings, 1st floor, 1st annex.

We shall make a special effort to close out all Dolls this week, and you may con-fidently look for exceptional good values, (Fourth floor, 10th st. extension.

DICTURES, EASELS, &c. 300 Pictures, framed in embossed Oak.

-Price, 65c.—
300 Framed Pictures in White and Gold and Old Silver Frames. Size, 20x24 Price, 95c.—
200 Pictures in very handsome frames.

Size, 24x30.

Price, \$1 35.

Great variety of choice subjects in Antique Oak Frames. Prices, \$1.35, \$1.90, and \$2.50.— 300 Etchings by the best artists, great

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MIXED PICKLE and CHOW CHOW for sale in quantities to suit by nov4 J. C. MILBURN.

A FULL LINE OF MACHETS at J. C. MILBURN'S. FULL LINE OF MARKET, LUNCH and

ROCKWOOD & CO.'S PREMIUM CHOCO-LATE, very fine quality, received to-day by sp4 J. C. MILBURN.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S FINE PICKLES
and PRESERVES and for sale by
jy14

J. C. MILBURN. DOTOMAC FLOUR-Another supply of Potomas Flour nuexcelled instructional by Flour, unexcelled, just received by 3. C. MILBURN.

BEEF for sale by jy14 J. G. MILRITRN. BLACK EYED PEAS just received by dee6 J. C. MILBURN. LOCAL BREVITIES.

Marriage licenses were issued in Wash ngton yesterday to John Elliott, of Alexandria county, and Rebella Payn, of Fairfax county; L. C. Davis, of Essex county, and Mattie S. Barracks.

The differences between the Senate and House

When the Manssas train reached here this morning the cars and, engine were covered with snow, and the trainmen sail in coming through the rountains they had passed through drifts in some places two feet deep.

The resider ce of Mr. G. P. Hill in Roanoke was slightly damaged by fire a few days since. The slightly damaged by fire a few days since. The loss was covered by insurance in the Alexandria

company. So far as heard no damage was done by the storm to the railreads leading to this city, and to-day all the trains have arrived on time.

The entertainment to have been given at the lecture room; of Chri t Church to-night has been postponed till Fridey night.

The hen house of Mr. R. L. Nevitt, on north Co-lumbus street, was robbed last night of eight hens.

What Is It?

What is "Bromodine?' A fair question and here is the answer, "Bromodine" is the new scientific headache remedy, a powder, pleasant to the taste, effective in its action, absolutely harm. less, and is sold by all druggists for 25c per box of 6 powders.

For billiousness and beadache Simmons Liver R-guiator is the best medicine the world ever saw .-- H H. Jones, Macon, Ga.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

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This is beyond question the most successful Congh Medicine we have ever sold, a few dose; invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we sencestly a k you to try it. Price 10c, 50c, and \$1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro, Agents.

You feel faint and week in the stomachno appetite. Take Simmons Liver Regulator.

There is much in good blood; but if born of bad blood, "A. B. C. Alterative" is the only remedy

Is Consumption Curable?

Read the following : Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made.

Jesse Mindlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given up by dectors. Am now in best of health."

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Workleamen cannot afford to less time Simmons Liver Regulator will keep you from it.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for

For an appopular President, the remedy is the ballot; but for impure Blood A. B. C.

The farmer's friend in emergencies-Simnons Liver Regulator.

Billioneness, constitution, torpid liver, piles, cared by Dr. Miles's Nerve and Liver Pills, 50 doses 250. Semples free at deuggists, by mail 25c. Miles Med. Co., El K-

For health and happiness, the boon of all mankind, take Simmons Liver Regulator.

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh We have a speedy and positive during the diphtheria, cauker mouth and headache, SHI-LOAH'S CATAKKH REMEDY. A masal injector free with e.c. bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50c. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., agents.

Unique and useful diffs—sole blot-Ters with inscription, "I wish you many happy returns of the day from the bottom of my sole," \$1.75. Can be had only of us. B. C. ACTON & SON.

LEATHER S'LVER-MOUNTED CARD CASES dec.17 til R. C. ACTON & EON.

If you feel weak and all worn out take BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

EYE PENCILS, for coloring eye brows and lashes, for sale by ERNEST L. ALLEN, nov12 Cor. King and Pitt sts., Alexandria

EMON HOT DROPS cures colds, hoarseness and sore threat. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by ERNEST L, ALLEN, feb10 Cor. King and Pitt sts., Alexandria. M ARSCHINGS, JAPANESE and Our Favorite
Gold Paints for decorative and guilding pur-

poses. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL. JUST RECEIVED-A case of JAMES KIRK & CO.'S FINE TOILET SOAPS, 5 and 10c a

nov18 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. A FINE assortment of LEATHER COLORED HOSE and HALF HOSE OSE and HALF HOSE at

3 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

SMALL HAMS, choice quality, canvassed and uncanvassed, for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S. Sep22

A ETISTS' MATERIAL at and below cost to re-J. D. H. LUNT'S. sep22 TOO'TH BRUSHES—A very large assortment of fine Tooth Brushes just received by jan17 WARFIELD & HALL.

LOT OF LARGE-SIZE SHIRTS, linen bos-A oms, worth 50; put down to 33, at nov18 A wos B. SLAYMAKER'S.

ROCHESTER LAMPS and PEARL-TOP CHIM-NIES, Sole agents. decio E. J MILLER & SON. SATSUMA and other JAPANESE WAKEF, FANCY WAX CANDLES, all grades, at decio E. J. MILLER & SON'S.

CROSSE & RLACK WELL'S JAMS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

NEW SEEDLESS RAISINS and CURRANTS just received by J. C. MILBURN. A FULL LINE OF FRESH NUTS, CANDIES, &c., just received by J. C. MILBURN.

100 SMALL HAMS, fine quality, just received by J. C. MILBURN. UST RECEIVED-A fine line of TOILET

SOAPs at 301 King St. WM. T. SMITH. ROCKWOOD & CO.'S BREAKFAST COCOA, a superior article, received to-day by ap4 J. C. MILBURN.

A NOTHER LOT OF THOSE VERY CHEAP GINGHAMS just received at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. CORN GRITS, fresh, just received by Sog1 J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

By R. T. Lucas Auctioneer. TY VIRTUE of a decree of the tirmit Court of the city of Alexandria entired in the chancery cause of Mushbach vs Fields I will a dist pubauction in front of the Royal street entrance to

lie auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Bridding, or a SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property, in the city of Alexandria, Va; viz:

First. A LOT OF GEOUND on the west side of Poy on st.e.t, between King and Prince st. oets, adjoining on the north the property of W. H. Eich, fronting twenty-one feet on Peyton street, and running back the same with as in front two hundred feet.

Second. A HOUSE and LOT adjoining No. 1 on the north, fronting thirty feet on Peyton street,

some places two feet deep.

A little son of Mr. W. F. Brookes while on Washington street this morning was aught up by the high wind and borne almost half a squire, but was not injured.

Second. A HOUSE and LOT adjoining No. 1 on the north, from ing thirty feet on Peyton street, and running back the same width as in front two hundred feet.

Terms of Sale: One thi d of the purchase monory in cash, and the residue in six and the residue.

rems of sale: One this do: the purchase mon-cy in cash, and the residue in six and twelve months, with interest from the day of sale; the jurchasers to give their notes, with security, for the deferred payments; the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. All conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. A. W. ARMSTRONG, Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by the decree of sale in Mushbach vs Fields has been given by A. W. Armstrong, dec16 ts Fig. 2. JOHN 8. BEACH, Clerk. By J. T. Callahan, D. C.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

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A S ADMINISTEATOR with the will annexed of Thomas C. Carter, I will sell at public auction in front of the Boyal street entrance to the Market Building on SATUEDAY, JANUARY 3, 1591, at 12 o'dlock noon, the following property, in the city of Alexandria, Va.; viz:

All that TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND at the southwest corner of Cameron and West streets, and running back one hundred and thirteen feet five inches.

streets, and running back one hundred and thirteen feet five inches.

Terms of Sale: One-third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue at six and twelve months from day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest from day of sa'e, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. All convayancing at each of purchaser.

A. W. ARMSTRONG,

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Admr. c. t. a, of T. C. Carter.

FANCY GROCERIES.

10 CASES CANTON GINGER

POTS, HALVES AND QUARTERS.

For sale low by G. WM. RAMSAY.

FANCY Florida Oranges

MALAGA GRAPES.

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Extra Quality Lemon and Orange Yeel

SWEET CIDER. C. WM. RAMSAY.

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MEAT MINCE

PLUM PUDDINGS. C. WM. RAMSAY.

700 LBS

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NEW CROP

Raisins, Currants,

Citron, Nuts.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

1000 BBLS NO. 1 FAMILY BOE,

NET ROE, NO. 1 and NO. 1 NET POTOMAC HERRING,

Our own pack. Keeping quality guaranteed for six

jy10 CHAS. KING & SON. TUST OUT.

If you want to rid your house of Roaches and Water Bugs, get one of the CHAMPION TRAPS at J. D. H. LUNT'S. Price 25c 2ep22 DYSPEPSIA CURE.

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TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY for sale at old prices, regardless of the large advance. Call and examine before purchasing at 328 King st. dec9 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. FULL LINE OF INFANT and FACE POW-A FULL LINE OF ERNEST L. ALLEN, ERNEST L. ALLEN, Alexander

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M OTH PREVENTIVES—Gum Camphor, White Tar Paper and Moth Balls at ERNEST L. ALLEN'S, Corner King and Pitt streets,

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THE FINEST LINE OF MEERSCHAUM PIPES AND CIGAR-GOLDERS

Ever offered to the trade.

Our PLUSH CASES WITH SMOKER'S OUTFIT will make a fine X mas present for a gentleman.

Our stock of FRENCH BRIAE GOODS is larger than ever and our prices will make them go.

In connection with the above we have the floest line of HIGH GRADES SMOKING and CHEW-

ING TOBACCO manufactured. Our stock of Fancy Boxes of 25 Cigars

Is now complete. Call early and look over our stock before buying and be convinced that we are

MANUFACTURER OF THE FAMOUS ROSE CIGAR.

And every one is on the lookout for Christmas presents. To buyers of Holiday Gifts we as-nounce our firm intention to please you, one and all, with the unusual opportunities we offer every-where throughout our well-selected line of

ELECANT HOLIDAY COODS.

We are now fully prepared to meet the demands of the season, and assure the public that visitors will be cordially welcome whether you wish to purchase or not; we shall be glad to entertain you with our charming exhibition of NOVELTIES IN PLUSH, LEATHER and SILVER OXIDIZED TOILET CASES, SHAVING SETS, SMOKERS SETS, COLLAR and CUFF BOXES, ALBUMS, AIREBORS, Picture Frames, Fine Pocket Books and Card Cases, Gold Pens and Pencils, Pocket Knives, Opera Glasses, Manicure Trays, Inkstends in silver and brave, Paper Knives and kindral articles in bronze, porcelean, brass, clive wood and leather, elegant Cabinets of Writing Paper in plush and metal. We have on exhibition now our

FULL LINE OF FINE STATIONERY.

Ladies' Work Stands, an immense assortment of fine imported Work Baskets, entirely new shapes, Bisque Figures, Vases, &c.
Our line of Portfolios cannot be surpassed in value and intrinsic beauty. These goods are in morocco, alligator, seal and decorated canvas.

A FINE ARRAY OF BOOKS.

A rare treat to the lovers of fine Books and one may spend an almost indefinite time with pleasure inspecting an immense line of both standard and new works. The Books designed for the half days seem more be cutiful in workmanship and binding this year than ever before, well exemplifying the saying that bookmaking has become an art. In Christmas Cards, Calendars and Booklets

The choice is infinite, there being no size, style or price of steel engraved prints, both tiated and in memotiat, that cannot be found at this place.

HOLIDAY GAMES and BLOOKS should not escape notice. They surpass anything of the kind known in previous seasons.

LARGEST LINE OF TOYS ever shown in this State.

A choice line of HIGH ART NOVELTIES; an entirely new departure from the old hackneyed styles; beautiful in appearance, saleable in character and moderate in price. We are headquarters for these lines.

Remember, we have the best of everything for Christmas, complete in assortment, splendid in quality; also the greatest variety of fresh, new styles, making the matter of selection an easy and pleasant recreation. We will be pleased to see you.

GEORGE E. FRENCH'S SONS. 417 & 419 King street.

1890.

For many seasons past we have had an unusual trade in useful and beautiful articles belonging to our business, and this sesson we have made extensive preparations in these, and believe that this advertisement will contain many useful hints to purchasers. The variety is so large that the men tion of each article is necessarily brief.

Housefurnishings.

Cheice Damasks, Good Napkins, Fine Napkins, Towels in all grades, Napkins and Damaska to

Carpet Department.

Carpets, Fur, Smyrns and Moquette Rugs, specially beautiful White, Gray and Black Goat Skins. In these we have goods entirely oderless. Carriage Robes in Goat and Wolf Skins.

Curtains and Portieres

Table Covers-These sie specially rich and choice this scaron, and make handsome presents. Lace Curtains from \$2 to \$7-all new and very Goods in fine embroidery. cheap. Special bargain in Cheneille Portieres at \$5 50. Fine Table Covers.

Nothing make more acceptable presents than FINE BLANKETS. These we present in unasual variety and specially choice. The best brands of California and Minnesota goods at prices from \$7 50 to \$15.

Fine Satine and Eider-Down Comforts.

MUFFS, FURS, FUR CAPES in Hare, Coney, French Seal, Wool, Seal and Astrachan. Muffs in Hare, Coney, Wool, Soal, Astrachan, &c. CLOAKS, JACKETS, &c.

Silk and Cloria Umbrellas.

In these we have some specially their goods in natural woods, wood and silver, here and silver handles.

Alse chesp goods at \$1.25 and \$1.50. FINE SUSPENDERS in white and black and silk embroidered

Centlemen's Ties.

The best assortment ever offered. Poffs, Tecks and Four-in-hands. Prices 25, 50 and 75, FINE DERSS SHIETS, Linen and Please Fronts. SILK and LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS to choice and endless variety. Specially choice Linna

LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS. POCKET BOOKS, TRUNKS, SATCHEL and VALISES.

Special in RIBBONS for fancy work. One let fine wide Ribbons at 18c, worth 30c. Fine lines of all the staple articles for general domestic presents—GINGHAMS, FRINTS, OHECK MUSLINS for aprons, &c.

Large stock of LADIES' and GENTS' KID GLOVES. GENTS' GLOVES at \$1, \$1,50 and \$2.

LADIES' GLOVES in dressed and undressed Kid and Mosquetare. Agents for the celebrated CENTMERI GLOVES

of which we have a good stock and can furnish any style or color not in stock at short notice.

During December in our

TAILORING DEPARTMENT

To close out a line of Suits and Overcoats we will make up in best style six patterns Suitings, price \$28, at \$20 ; twelve patterns, prices from \$30 to \$34, at \$25 ; four Overcoats, prices \$28, \$31, \$30 and \$34, at \$25 each.

PRICE.

OOK! 10 cakes Babbitt's Soap, 45c. Babbitt's 1776 Scap Powder, 4c. Scapine and Pearline, 4c.

Soapine and Pearline, 4c.
5 lbs Large Lump Starch, 25c.
Star Soap, 4c.
7 cakes Quaker City Soap, 25c.
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